

Remarks

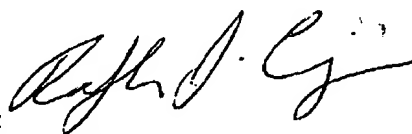
Applicants wish to thank the Examiner for the attention accorded to the instant application. Applicants have presented the above amendment to the claims, amending claims 1, 9, 10, 15, 24 and 31, essentially to include the limitation or originally presented and now canceled claim 8, and have amended claim 12 to correct a typographical error.

Applicants respectfully submit, that although the Examiner indicated rejection of claim 8 in the Office Action of February 20, 2003 under section 103, that Willet et al. U.S. Patent No. 5,325,218 does not disclose or suggest use of multiple domain structures as were present in original claim 8 and now present in all pending claims.

Further, in reviewing the Office Action, the undersigned noted that the Examiner did not consider the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement submitted on February 12, 2002. Applicants include herewith a copy of such submission, including a certificate of mailing, submitted by Applicant's attorney Richard L. Sampson. Applicants respectfully submit that no fee is due for this Information Disclosure Statement, as it was sent within three months of receipt of the international search report in corresponding PCT Application US01/19323.

The amendments herein do not introduce any new matter. It is believed that the objection to the specification has been overcome by the present amendment. Accordingly, allowance is respectfully requested.

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